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Purpose:

"With Respect and Humility, we the Illinois Indian Child Welfare Advisory Council shall advise, consult and advocate for children and families of all tribes [(1): The legal parameters of ICWA encompasses federally recognized tribes.] with the Department to require full and complete implementation of the Indian Child Welfare Act of 1978 (25 UCS 1901-1963.)"

Core Values:

Respect, Love, Wisdom, Honesty, Bravery, Humility, Courage, Integrity, Knowledge, Creativity, Openness